



Bridging the Gap Through Evidence-based Practices

Bronx Community College invites you to our
Annual Conference on Community College Excellence
on January 19th, 2017

Save the Date!

We are delighted to invite you to BCC's Fourth Annual Conference on Community College Excellence. The theme of this year's conference is "***Bridging the Gap: Evidence-based practices that lead to reflection, redesign and transformation.***" It will provide an opportunity for colleagues to present on research and activities that improve outcomes for our students by focusing on issues that affect student success, institutional capacity and service. Our community colleges are sites of experimentation, continuously engaging in addressing their core missions, responding to changing student bodies and an ever shifting professional landscape for their graduates.

This conference began three years ago as a forum for campus conversations among our faculty and staff on challenges that impeded our students' progress and initiatives that led to improvements in their success. It has grown as a showcase for initiatives that evidence improvements in teaching, programs and services that impact learning, academic progress and graduation of our students. Overwhelming positive responses from participants led us to expand participation to our sister community colleges in CUNY last year. This year we are very excited to invite colleagues from all the CUNY community and four-year colleges to attend, present and collectively reflect on the mission of our educational institutions and our individual roles as educators, program directors, or staff.

We look forward to your participation in this exciting event.

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Call for Proposals and Invitation to Register Conference on Community College Excellence Bronx Community College

January 19th, 2017

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Deadline to submit proposals: Sunday November 13th, 2016. Submit your proposal [here](#).

Deadline to register: Sunday, December 18th, 2016. Register [here](#).

The conference program will be based on six broad themes listed below.

- 1. Best Practices in Partnering Programs with Pedagogy***
- 2. Aligning Support and Services to Ensure Student Success***
- 3. Transforming the Learning Experience***
- 4. Preparing our Incoming Students to Succeed***
- 5. Preparing our Students for Life After Graduation***
- 6. Using Data to Inform Improvement***

Follow the submission [link](#) to learn more about detailed descriptions and sample areas under each theme and to complete a Proposal form. The form will contain specific information of the requirements and format of the proposal and the format of the presentations.

Keep a look out for the conference agenda and updates later this Fall. We'll be sending reminders as we get closer to this exciting event.

We look forward to your participation.